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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Ali Jalali, Pierre Leray, and
Dominique Lacroix

Art Unit: Not Assigned

Application No.: 09/581,272

Examiner: Not Assigned

Date Received by PCT/PTO: June 7, 2000

Docket No.: 136.147
Customer No. 023907

For: *Method of Calculating the Fast Fourier Transform and the Inverse Fast Fourier Transform*

RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Attention: Mr. Leonard Smith, PCT Legal Examiner
Mr. Anthony Smith, Attorney-Advisor

Dear Messrs. Smith and Smith:

This is further to the Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a) that was transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent Office on August 26, 2002.

A Declaration and Statement of Facts by Christian Hamon in Re 37 CFR 1.47(a) and Section 409.03(d) MPEP executed by Christian Hamon on September 9, 2002 is enclosed.

As documentary evidence that every effort has been made to obtain Mr. Jalali's signature on the application papers, copies of the following documents are enclosed:

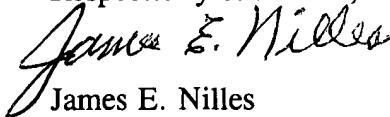
- 1) French-language letter addressed to Mr. Jalali dated September 28, 2000, an English translation of the letter, a Declaration and an Assignment that was enclosed with the letter, and the address label.
- 2) French-language letter addressed to Mr. Jalali dated February 1, 2001, an English translation of the letter, a Declaration and an Assignment that was enclosed with the letter, the address label, and the return receipt postcard signed by a person whose signature is not readable.
- 3) French-language letter addressed to Mr. Jalali dated June 26, 2001, an English translation of the letter, a Declaration, an Assignment, and a complete copy of the application Serial No. 09/581,272 and Preliminary Amendment filed with the application that were enclosed with the letter.

The above letters and enclosures are additional documentary evidence that every effort has been made to obtain Mr. Jalali's signature on the application papers. None of the letters were returned as undeliverable and Mr. Hamon knows of no other means with which to contact Mr. Jalali.

Request for One-month Extension of Time

A one-month extension of time from August 25, 2002 to September 25, 2002 is requested. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees required to Deposit Account No. 14-1080.

Respectfully submitted,


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